

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A long-term general-purpose water repellant for concrete, mortar, stone and wood, ~~characterized by having three ingredients, ie comprising~~ an emulsion of zirconium oxide, a liquid paraffin, and an emulsion of polyvinyl acetate resin, mixed sequentially at a ratio of 1:4:1 ~~or a ratio approximating it~~ substantially 1 part by weight of said emulsion of zirconium oxide, 4 parts by weight liquid paraffin and 1 part by weight emulsion of polyvinyl acetate resin.

Claim 2 (currently amended): ~~[[A]]~~ The long-term general-purpose water repellant for concrete, mortar, stone and wood according to claim 1, wherein the agent, ~~on being repellant~~ when subjected to ~~[[the]]~~ fluorescent X-ray analysis in a state dried and then calcined, is found to contain at least 0.005-0.030 wt % of sodium, 0.003-0.015 wt % of aluminum, 0.001-0.010 wt % of phosphorus, 0.01-0.10 wt % of sulfur, and 0.20-0.80 wt % of potassium.

Claim 3 (currently amended): ~~[[A]]~~ The long-term general-purpose ~~[[of]]~~ water repellant for concrete, mortar, stone and wood according to claim 2, which further comprises 0.001 to 0.002 wt % of magnesium, silicon, chlorine, calcium, iron, zinc, and rubidium ~~in addition to said elements.~~